Pattern of IIT-JEE Exam

2693. DR. ALLADI P. RAJKUMAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that IIT-JEE Examination from 2006 onwards would be conducted on the basis of CBSE-NCERT syllabus;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the pattern of examination proposed;

(c) whether Government are proposing to conduct all India examinations for the technical courses on one pattern based on CBSE syllabus; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALIASHRAF FATMI): (a) and (b) No, Sir. The syllabus of the IIT-JEE Examination conducted by the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), as of now, is the common denominator of major Boards of Secondary Education in the country including CBSE and at present there is no proposal to deviate from this in IIT-JEE-2006.

(c) and (d) IITs have also no proposal, at present, to conduct All India Examinations for the technical courses on one pattern based on the CBSE syllabus.

Navodaya Vidyalayas

2694. SHRI SUDARSHAN AKARAPU: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Navodaya Vidyalayas State-wise, as on the 31st December, 2004;

(b) whether it is proposed to increase the intake in Navodaya Vidyalayas, and if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to improve the infrastructure facilities in Navodaya Vidyalayas?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) State-wise Navodaya Vidyalayas as on 31st December 2004 is given in the Statement (See below)

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Following steps have been taken to improve the infrastructure facilities in Navodaya Vidyalayas:-

(i) Construction works of Vidyalaya buildings are sanctioned for all the JNVs where land has been transferred so that the Vidyalayas presently running at the temporary sites could be shifted to the permanent Vidyalaya Complex.

(ii) Additional dormitories and dinning halls are sanctioned in Navodaya Vidyalayas as per requirements.

(iii) Special efforts are made to sort out the problems of water supply.

(iv) Generator sets are provided to Navodaya Vidyalayas to overcome the problems of irregular power supply.

Statement

Navodaya Vidyalayas in the States

SI. No.	State	Total No. of JNVs Sanctioned
1.	Andman & Nicobar	02
2.	Andhra Pradesh	22
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	12
4.	Assam	20
5.	Bihar	37
6.	Chandigarh	01
7.	Chhattishgarh	11
8.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	01
9.	Daman & Diu	02
10.	Delhi	02
11.	Goa	02
12.	Gujarat	19
13.	Haryana	18
14.	Himachal Pradesh	12
15.	Jammu & Kashmir	14
16.	Jharkhand	21
17.	Karnataka	27
18.	Kerala	13
19	lakshadweep	01
20.	Madhya Pradesh	45
21.	Maharashtra	31
22	Manipur	09
23.	Meghalaya	07
24.	Mizoram	06
25.	Nagaland	06
26.	Orissa	24
27.	Pondicherry	04
28.	Punjab	17
29.	RAJASTHAN	32
30.	Skkim	03

Sl. No.	State	Total No. of JNVs Sanctioned
31.	Tripura Uttar	04
32.	Pradesh	66
33.	Uttaranchal	12
34.	West Bengal	06
	TOTAL:	509

Regulatory authority for violence in TV programmes

2695. SHRI MANOJ BHATTACHARYA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to set up a regulatory authority to control the increasing menace of obscenity and violence in TV programmes;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) by when the proposed authority is likely to be put in place; and

(d) whether the matter is likely to be decided through an administrative order or through an appropriate legislative intervention?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY): (a) to (d) Yes, Sir. Government is contemplating the establishment of a statutory autonomous authority to regulate the content on TV channels. The need for such an authority has long been felt in our country in the wake of complaints about certain content on TV channels. Such authorities exist in almost all advanced countries in the world. The details are being worked out. As such no time-frame can be indicated.

Role of Film Division

2696. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the present role of the Film Division;

(b) what is the annual budget of the Film Division;

(c) the funds spent during the last fiscal year;

(d) whether the Film Division has any further role to play; and

(e) the steps being proposed to review the objectives of the Film Division in view of the vast expansion of TV?